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2. **Applicant**

claims small entity status. is other than a small entity.

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EXTENSION OF TERM

3.	The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136 apply.										
	(complete (a) or (b), as applicable)										
	(a) Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 (Fees: 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a)-(d) for the total number of months checked below:)										
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	(b) 	Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.									

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In response to the Office Action dated March 2, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows.